

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Yoshihiro HORI, et al. : Confirmation Number: 7144
Application No.: 10/809,789 : Group Art Unit: 2437
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ENCRYPTING DATA TO BE SECURED AND
INPUTTING/OUTPUTTING THE SAME

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

The following amendment and remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action
mailed December 10, 2009.

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